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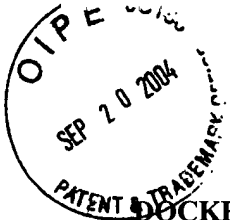
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action. The response period is presently set to expire on July 21, 2004, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be September 21, 2004.

In response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:



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Sir:

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following documents:

1. Response to Office Action;
2. Petition for Extension of Time - two months (in duplicate);
3. Check in the amount of \$420.00 for the two month extension fee; and
4. A postcard receipt;

relating to the above application, were deposited as "First Class Mail" with the United States Postal Service, addressed to MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on 9/16/04.

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